

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: Osamu MATSUURA et al.

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Serial Number: 10/635,648

Examiner: David Nhu

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

January 21, 2005

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated September 21, 2004 for one month from December 21, 2004 to January 21, 2005.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$120.00 to cover the cost of the extension. If any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

Respectfully submitted,

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